

_Environment, Health, & Safety _ Training Program

EHS 322 ~ Asbestos Worker

Course Syllabus

Subject Category:Occupational HealthCourse Prerequisite:NoCourse Length:4 DaysMedical Approval:No

Delivery Mode: class

Schedule: Monthly (Check with EH&S Industrial Hygienist)

Location/Time: Offsite Vendor

Course Purpose: This AHERA approved course teaches students how to perform a variety of asbestos abatement activities including pre-abatement cleaning and set-up, proper removal and other abatement methods, asbestos housekeeping and maintenance-related removal.

Course Objectives:

- Learn the history and uses of asbestos, health effects and medical surveillance
- Learn the work practices and principles for handling asbestos properly
- Learn how to collect air samples, conduct visual inspections and latest technology in asbestos abatement
- The hands-on workshop will teach you how to build a containment, use abatement tools and learn the skills related to actual removal of material.

Course Instructional Materials:

- PowerPoint presentations
- Wipe Boards

Instructors: Offered by private vendors in the Bay Area and Vacaville.

Training Compliance Requirements: OSHA Requirement

Course Handouts: Student manual with copies of regulations, abatement literature and latest technology.

Participant Evaluation: N/A

Written Exam: Yes

Practical Exam: No

Retraining/Recertification: A refresher class is required every two years to maintain this training

WEB Resource: LBNL EH&S Training Program web page @ http://www.lbl.gov/ehs/html/training.htm.